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In re application of: **Paul A. Hosier et al.**

Application Number	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/213,515	12/17/1998	Justin P. Misleh	2612

Title: **PHOTOGATE IMAGE SENSOR WITH FAT ZERO INJECTION ON A MIDDLE NODE OF AN ASSOCIATED TRANSFER CIRCUIT**

Confirmation No. 6778

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SECOND AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2002 in the
above-identified application.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please substitute the following amended paragraph for the pending
paragraph beginning on page 3, line 21:

B1
--U.S. Patent 6,157,019 discloses a configuration of photosensitive chips
in which photosites immediately adjacent to a functional edge of the chip are
shielded and thus defined with an opaque layer that overlaps the diced region
and preserves the integrity of the filter layers while eliminating the need for a
guard ring.--